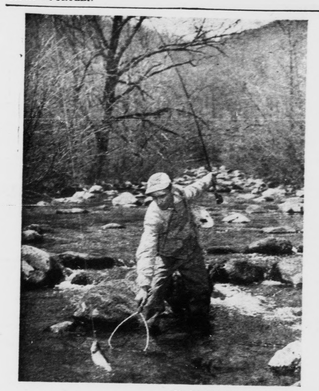

(Va. State Chamber of Commerce Photo)

STREAMS IN SHENANDOAH NATIONAL PARK will be open to anglers this year for the first time since 1952 and scenes such as this will be familiar when the fishing season opens May 1. The first tourist facilities along Skyline Drive in the Blue Ridge Mountain park opened in March and the annual show of wild flowers starts this month.

AWARDS OFFERED 4-H'ERS WHO IMPROVE HEALTH

"Improving Family and Community Living," the 1956 4-H theme, is being put into action by 750,000 club members taking part in the national 4-H health program.

State 4-H officials at VPI, who conduct the program in Virginia through county Extension agents, say members are improving individual, family, and community health.

Although the health project in Virginia is relatively new, 16,400 members received training last year in health, nursing, and first aid. In the project Rubinette Miller, of Bedford, was the 1955 state winner. Bent Mountain 4-H Club in Roanoke County, and the Baywood Club in Grayson County, were recognized for outstanding health programs on a club basis.

This year, four winners in each participating county will receive medals; the state winner will receive a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago; and six national winners will receive $300 college scholarships.

Certificates will be presented to each of two local clubs in a county conducting a health program worthy of a blue award rating. A maximum of 10 certificates are provided for the clubs reporting the most outstanding programs in the state.

Health activities carried on by 4-H'ers include physical and dental check-ups, studies of home and community health and sanitation needs; practice of basic first-aid and emergency procedures; the proper health habits, and participating in community health programs.

DEFEATS HIMSELF

Hannibal, Mo.- Robert Brown defeated himself in his bid for election as city alderman. Brown remembered too late to register. He had to be a registered voter before he could become a candidate for any office.

IN MOTOR TRANSPORT GMC LEADS THE WAY

No other truck can offer you as much as a new 1956 GMC

LOOK AT the facts—no matter what kind of truck you need.

GMC's new light-duty power plants have as much as 16.2% greater displacement than the nearest competition. H.P.'s been upped as much as 20%. V8's are the latest in short-stroke design.

In the new half-tonners, a brand-new fast-ratio cruising axle gives you all the efficiencies of overdrive. And it's an option at a fraction of overdrive's usual price.

A new ride stabilizer gives Blue Chip light-duties remarkable new riding comfort. No need to fight the steering-wheel—even on the poorest roads.

All GMC's now have a 12-volt electrical system. Tubeless tires are standard equipment. And a new boulevard styling makes a GMC far and away the best advertisement you can run.

In short, new 1956 Blue Chip GMC's are just about as impressive a line as you've ever seen. Values are even more remarkable. Drop by and see for yourself!

See us, too, for Triple-Checked used cars

Price's Garage Route 460 Pamplin, Va.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Deadline for copy for the Classified Page, is 12:00 noon on each Wednesday. Please have your copy in by that time. (3-15-tf)

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear husband, Charlie E. Marshall, who died three years ago, April 15, 1953.

Oh, Charlie dear, with heart of gold,
With hair of silver hue;
It is best you do not know,
How much I'm missing you.

The beautiful things you did for me,
Live within my heart each day,
And keep you near and dear to me,
Though you have passed away.

—Sadly missed by wife, Elsie W. Marshall.
(1tp)

IN MEMORY

BALDWIN.- In loving memory of my father, Aurelious A. Baldwin, who departed this life nine years ago today, April 12.

Sad was the shock that day,
When the news came that you had gone,
Just when it seemed I needed you most,
Then, I felt that God's will was done.

Yet again I hope to meet you,
When the day of life is fled;
Then in Heaven with joy to greet you,
Where no farewell tear is shed.

—Sadly missed by: Daughter.
(1nc)

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of thanking my friends and neighbors, white and colored, for their kindness shown me during my recent illness. Also for cards, visits and fruit.

Miss Gracie Branch.
(1tp)

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to take this means of expressing to the Appomattox and Pamplin Volunteer Fire Companies, and to all others who helped in any way, our sincere appreciation for their services on the occasion of the recent fire which destroyed our building, occupied by the Grinels Motor Company.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Murphy.
(1tp)

Special Notices

WANTED: Painting. Free estimates furnished for spring painting.

W. R. Tyree,
Spout Spring, Va.
(4-5-4tp)

WANTED: Would like to have one child to keep at my home while the mother is working.

Macca Paulett,
Appomattox, Va.
(1tp)

NOTICE: Anyone knowing of den of young foxes, call 2242, or see Vernell Mitchell.
(1tp)tfc)

NOTICE TO MY CUSTOMERS: My Shoe Shop will be closed from noon, Tuesday, April 24, through April 29, for vacation. Will open as usual April 30 and thereafter. Will appreciate your cooperation.

J. T. Irby's Shoe Shop,
Appomattox, Va.
(1tc)

NOTICE: Anyone wanting chairs bottomed, good oak bottoms, see

Henry Harris,
Spout Spring, Va. or call 4475.
(4-12-2tp)

For Sale

TRUMPET FOR SALE: One person owner. Good as new. Will sell reasonable.

Mrs. R. L. Burke, Jr.,
Phone 3741, Appomattox, Va.
(3-22-tfc)

FOR SALE: Hickory wood, ready for cooking use. Anyone interested see or write:

Paul M. Gunter,
Appomattox, Va., Route 3.
(4-5-4tp)

Trail's End Baby Chicks. $12.95 per hundred. Guaranteed to live six weeks.

Coleman's Feed & Seed Store
Appomattox, Va.
(4-19-tfc)

FOR SALE: Modern brick home, with oil heat. Call 4755, or see

Lawrence Moore.
(4-19-4tp)

PLANTS FOR SALE

Tomatoes: several leading varieties, also Big Boy Hybrid Eggplant, cabbage, hot and sweet peppers. Also flower plants and strawberries.

Mrs. L. M. Wilkes,
Appomattox, Va.
(4-12-tc)

FOR SALE: Eight (8) Simmons full size metal beds, $5.00 each.

D. E. Caldwell, Jr.,
Appomattox, Va.
(1tc)

FOR SALE: Beautiful Puppies, Chihuahua and Toy Terries. Price reasonable. See—

Herbert Richardson, or call 3131.
(1tc)

Paignton - Kelton—Aberdeen Angus "Pounds for Profit" Sale Monday April 23rd. Dominion Breeders Barn one mile north of Front Royal on Rt. 522 — starting 6:30 P. M. 3 Bulls, 51 Females. Featuring the services of the sons of such bulls as Prince of Rowley, Boardolermer II, Polan's Bandolier. Offering many outstanding head Families selling: Hartley Missie, BlueBlood Lady, Maid of Summers, Esther, Miss Wix, Enzora Erica, and many others.

For Particulars and Catalog contact Canning Land and Cattle Co. P. O. Box 1115 — Phone 6-0811

Staunton, Virginia
(4-12-2tc)

SKIN ITCH
HOW TO RELIEVE IT.
IN JUST 15 MINUTES.

If not pleased, your 40c back at any drug store. Instant - drying ITCH-ME-NOT deadens itch and burning; kills germs ON CONTACT. Use day or night for eczema, insect bites, foot itch, other surface rashes. New at: Spencer Drug Store.
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FOR ATHLETE'S FOOT

Use T-4-L for 3 to 5 days. Watch the old tainted skin slough off leaving healthy, new skin. If not pleased with powerful, instant-drying T-4-L, your 40c back at any drug store. Today at Spencer's Drug Store.
(4-5-4tc)

SHOULD WE GET RID OF INCOME TAX

Former Commissioner of Internal Revenue lashes into the present tax system and urges its abolishment. Read why he believes our income tax is too complicated and too costly .. plus other lively articles such as:

* Grace Kelly's Gamble
* Beauty Tips
* Recipes

all in the absorbing April 22nd issue of

THE AMERICAN WEEKLY
Magazine in Colorgravure With The
BALTIMORE
SUNDAY AMERICAN
At Your Local Newsdealer

Wanted To Buy

NOTICE: Will pay $3.00 a piece for tires suitable for recapping.

Webb's Esso &
Recapping Service,
Appomattox, Va.
(11-3-tfc)

WE ARE NOW PAYING $1.10 TO $1.60 PER HUNDRED POUNDS FOR MISCELLANEOUS SCRAP IRON, LIGHT IRON, CUT APART, FREE OF RUBBER, WOOD, WHOLE BODIES, GLASS, DOOR HANDLES, HEAD LIGHTS, TAIL LIGHTS, INSTRUMENT BOARDS, COPPER GAS LINES, AND GALVANIZED IRON, 90c PER HUNDRED POUNDS. HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR RAGS AND - OTHER METALS.

LYNCHBURG IRON & METAL CO., PARK AVE. & KEMPER ST., LYNCHBURG, VA.
(3-29-tfc)

For Rent

OFFICES FOR RENT: Several available for immediate occupancy. Year-round Air Conditioning, light and toilet facilities. See: The Bank of Appomattox.
(5-21-tfc)

FOR RENT: Three room apartment, with modern conveniences. See: T. W. Wooding,
(1tc) Appomattox, Va.

FOR RENT: Apartment for rent: 5 spacious rooms and bath, large lot with garden space. Only $27.50 per month. Contact: Charles Crawley, Appomattox, Va.
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WELLS are going dry everywhere. We are drilling a lot of dug wells deeper. Call us for free estimate. Drilled Wells and Pumps of all kinds. Largest Well Drillers in Central Virginia. Post Office Box 937. Falwell Well Corporation
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Phone 3-2739
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Appomattox, Va.
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Do you have bad water?

Let us solve your problems with an Alkalinator filter or water softener.

Free analysis and recommendation. No obligation. Results guaranteed.

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Largest Well Drillers in Central Virginia
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Five years Experience. Reasonable rate. Satisfaction guaranteed.
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WELLS DRILLED
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(25 years experience)

New Wells Drilled and Cased for $4.50 per foot.

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(9-29-tfc)

Help Wanted

NOTICE: We [illegible] someone work [illegible] this year. I have [illegible] fired and .60 acre [illegible] ested see or write

Roy L[illegible]
Gladstone, Va., [illegible]
(4-5-tfc)

Help Wanted

OPERATORS

Experienced [illegible]
joiners, sleever[illegible]
single n[illegible]
Sample [illegible]
Repair Gi[illegible]
Excellent wage[illegible]
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Vacation with [illegible]
Benefi[illegible]

Apply

LIN-BAR DR[illegible]
Appomatto[illegible]
(3-29-4tc)

Legal

PUBLIC [illegible]

This is to advise [illegible] tion has been recei[illegible] eastern Manganese [illegible] charge effluent from [illegible] into a small tribu[illegible] River from its pro[illegible] processing operatio[illegible] ham, Appomattox [illegible]

Persons wishing fu[illegible] regarding the ow[illegible] should write to [illegible] Control Board, 4[illegible] Street, Richmond [illegible]
(4-5-4tc)

PUB[illegible]

AUCT[illegible]

Sale of Valuable [illegible]

Town of Ap[illegible]

Saturday, May [illegible]

Premises at [illegible]

Pursuant to De[illegible] the Chancery caus[illegible] Bernard, et al, [illegible] Jr., et als, the un[illegible] Commissioners will [illegible] the premises at t[illegible] above the two lots [illegible] dwelling house s[illegible] known as the Lizzie [illegible] and lot and fully [illegible] hill in the above [illegible] The real estate wi[illegible] parcels; to-wit:

(1) The lot and [illegible] cated thereon fron[illegible] side of South Ch[illegible] proximately 104 fe[illegible] Grinels home prope[illegible] with a depth of ap[illegible] feet and fronting a[illegible] proposed new stree[illegible] proximately 104 fe[illegible] the Cates property [illegible] a depth of approxi[illegible] There is located o[illegible] modern dwelling h[illegible] outbuilding. The hou[illegible] ern conveniences.

(2) A lot at the [illegible] described lot and b[illegible] East by the new pro[illegible] a width of approxi[illegible] adjoining W. J. [illegible] West and rear of lo[illegible] mately 104 feet. Th[illegible] of 191 feet on the [illegible] feet on the North. [illegible] building lot and fr[illegible] proposed street whi[illegible] improved in the ne[illegible]

TERMS: CASH

Auctioneer: J. R. O'[illegible]

PLACE AND TIME [illegible] MAY 12, 1956, AT [illegible] THE PREMISES.

GEORGE ABE[illegible] and W. M[illegible] Special Com[illegible]
(4-12-4tc)

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the Appomattox Tele[illegible] has applied to the State Corporation Commission for [illegible] crease the rates for service. The proposed rates, to be [illegible] May 1, 1956, are as follows:

	Busines[illegible]
Individual Line Service	$6.00
2-Party Line Service	5.00
4-Party Line Service	4.00
Multi-Party Line Service	4.20
Extension Stations	1.30

Mileage Charges, in addition to above charges, for [illegible] outside base rate areas of exchanges are as follows:

	Pe[illegible]
Individual Line Service	[illegible]
2-Party Line Service	[illegible]
4-Party Line Service	[illegible]

The present zone charges for multi-party services [illegible] nated, and the above rates for multi-party service, regardless [illegible] tance of the telephone from the base rate, apply.

The complete proposed rates, rules and regulations are [illegible] the Company's office, or at the office of the Commission [illegible]

STATE CORPORATION COM[illegible]

3-29-4tc

TIMES-VIRGINIAN

A Growing Newspaper In A Growing Town

Historic Appomattox Gave Unity and Peace to America

A LIVE WEEKLY NEWSPAPER AT HISTORIC APPOMATTOX COURT HOUSE VIRGINIA

VOLUME 54 NUMBER 17 APPOMATTOX, VIRGINIA, THURSDAY APRIL 26, 1956 Subscription Rate: $2 Per Year

Father Darkleaf

By c. h. r.

Thirty-one years ago, the following article appeared in the Confederate Veteran Magazine. This magazine carried so many interesting articles that we consider it a shame that it is no longer published. Anyone having back issues of it, would do us a real favor by passing them on to us. Judah P. Benjamin was one of the truly great men of the Confederacy, and his life story is fabulous and should be recorded for future generations. Here is the article:

"It was on the island of St. Thomas, August 6, 1811, that Judah P. Benjamin first saw the light. He was still a little boy when his parents came to the United States, settling at Charleston, S. C. The family was so poor that some of their children were sent to relatives at Fayetteville, N. C., and at the academy there Judah was known as a student. He entered Yale College in 1825 at the age of fourteen—but his poverty caused his withdrawal two years later. In 1828, he went to New Orleans, and there began his independent career as a tutor, later on taking up the study of law, which he had chosen as a profession. In December, 1832, when but little more than twenty-one, he was admitted to the bar, and shortly thereafter married Miss Natalie St. Martin, who had tutored in English and who had been well instructed in French. He entered politics in 1845, and was elected to the legislature. He was a member of the Louisiana constitutional conventions of 1844-45, in which he did good service. In 1846, Mr. Benjamin was forced to seek rest because of threatened consequent on hard work and overtaxed his physical powers, and he resigned his actions there may be offered, revision of party operating procedures may also be given attention. At the national convention, Virginia will have 32 votes. Each congressional district in the state may choose four delegates with a half-vote each, and two alternates. These will be ratified and 24 additional delegates-at-large elected at the state convention July 27.

Other Fourth District members of the state committee are L. H. Tyler, of Blackstone; R. F. B. Steele, of Petersburg, and State Senator A. S. Harrison, Jr., of Lawrenceville.

CANCER FUND DRIVE HEADED BY NORFLEET

With the publication of this short notice, the Appomattox Cancer Drive has begun. Cancer is one of the major killers today. However, thanks to the contributions in the past in support of the American Cancer Society, there are many alive today, living useful lives to the glory of Almighty God. Our Lord said, "He that giveth as much as a cup of cold water in my name" shall receive his reward. Money, the symbol of productive time and talents, is the gateway for many others to receive these benefits. Here is an opportunity to serve Christ as a member of His "body." Give a check, have a check-up that the redemptive love of Christ be shown forth in the healing hands of your doctors and nurses.

Cancer Drive solicitors of past years will be contacted and the local campaign will be over in the next ten days or two weeks.

—The Rev. Charles W. Norfleet, Jr., Chairman.

APPOMATTOX NATIVE DIES IN NEW JERSEY

Mr. G. B. Buchanan has been notified of the death of Mr. Homer W. Reynolds, brother of the late Mrs. Buchanan. Mr. Reynolds passed away suddenly while at his work in Freehold, N. J. He was born and raised in Appomattox County. Funeral services will be held at 3 P. M. Friday, in Ashbury Park, N. J., his home for the past thirty years.

WOODMEN NEWS

The Central District Convention of the Supreme Forest Woodmen Circle will be held at Harrisonburg, Va., April 28. The meeting will be held in the Muhlenburg Lutheran Church. Registration will begin at 9:30. Members of Robert E. Lee Grove 73 are invited to attend this convention.

To Hold Beauty Pageant Here Friday Night

Tourist Trade Clinic Here On May 16

A special one-meeting clinic will be held in Appomattox on May 16, for the purpose of promoting better service and courtesy to tourists. Sponsored by the Distributive Education Service, State Board of Education and the County School Board, in conjunction with the Times-Virginian, this Tourist Trade Clinic will appeal to all those in the county who come in business contact with tourists. All managers and sales personnel should attend. There will be no fee, and the clinic will be held beginning at 7:15 P. M. in the A. H. S. Cafeteria.

YATES REPRESENTS 4TH DISTRICT ON COM.

E. Floyd Yates, of Powhatan, was elected to the Democratic State Central Committee, representing the Fourth District, during the committee's session in Richmond last week.

The committee also adopted a resolution in tribute to the late Harry E. Griffin, of Buckingham. The memorial resolution honoring the long-time county treasurer and Democratic leader was presented by Garland Gray, Fourth District chairman.

During its Richmond session, the committee set July 27 as the date for the state Democratic convention. Richmond was selected as the convention city.

Chief task of the convention will be to elect delegates to the 1956 Democratic National Convention at Chicago. Some direction for their actions there may be offered, and revision of party operating procedures may also be given attention.

AMONG ENTRIES IN BEAUTY PAGEANT FRIDAY NIGHT

Above, eight of the entrants in the Beauty Pageant here Friday night, front row left to right: Alice Ashworth, Nancy Oxford, Betty Mitchell, Mary Jane Cole; back row, left to right; Sandra O'Brien, Peggy Henry, Geraldine Lucado and Gail Hillsman. Other entrants not shown are: Kathryn Burkey, Rosalie Fore, Anne Evans and Louise Burnett. The Pageant will be held Friday night, A. H. S. auditorium.

A "Miss America Beauty Pageant," sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and by the Junior Womans Club of Appomattox, will be held in the Appomattox High School auditorium on Friday night, April 27, at 8 o'clock.

Hon. Thomas B. Mason, of Lynchburg, will be master of ceremonies for the evening. He will be assisted by Mrs. H. E. Kerr.

The contest will include twelve entries. These entries will compete in evening wear, bathing suits, and in a talent which they must display for three minutes. The entries were chosen by the rules and regulations set up by the officials of the "Miss America Pageant." Some of these rules are: (1) Entrant must be a resident of the official territory covered by this particular contest for the past six months. (2) Entrant must be single and never have been married, divorced, or had marriage annulled. (3) Entrant must be a high school graduate by September first of this year. (4) Entrant's age on September first shall not be less than eighteen nor more than twenty-eight years. (5) Entrant must be of good character and possess poise, personality, intelligence, charm and beauty of face and figure. (6) Entrant must possess and display in a three minute talent routine. (7). Entrant may be either amateur or professional.

Entries and sponsors are as follows: Alice Ashworth, Spencer's Drug Store; Kathryn Burkey, The Times - Virginian; Louise Burnett, Appomattox Garment Company; Mary Jane Cole, Bank of Appomattox; Ann Evans, Lewis Motor Company; Rosalie Fore, Robinson Furniture Store; Gail Hillsman, International Harvester; Margaret Henry, Jenkins Store; Geraldine Lucado, Moses Motor Company; Betty Mitchell, Virginia Novelty Company; Sandra O'Brien, Grinels Motor Company, and Nancy Oxford, Coleman's Feed Store.

There will be out-of-town judges and they are outstanding in the field of music, education, and beauty.

The winner of the contest will go to Roanoke to compete for the title "Miss Virginia."

Awards will be made to the winner and to the 1st and the 2nd runners-up.

Mrs. Gregory Installed As Club President

Officers of the Appomattox Garden Club for the next two years were installed at the annual dinner meeting of the club in the high school cafeteria on Monday night at 6:30. The following officers were installed by Mrs. F. F. Carr, club parliamentarian, at the close of the meeting:

Mrs. K. C. Gregory, president; Mrs. Robert. C. Hubbard, vice-president; Mrs. Martin Webb, secretary, and Miss Laura Motley, treasurer.

At the dinner meeting, at which the, retiring president, Mrs. Chas. T. Moses Jr., presided, all of the retiring officers and the new officers were seated at theead table and each was presented a corsage. The club voted to postpone its flower show until fall, since it had not had a fall show for several years. A contribution was made to Nature Camp, the project of the Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs.

The club constitution and bylaws have recently been revised to include honorary membership, and at this meeting three members were honored when the club conferred honorary membership of Mrs. Amy Glenn, Mrs. W. F. Gills and Mrs. W. B. Caldwell. All three of these were charter members of the club when it was organized in 1935, and Mrs. Glenn has continued her membership through the years. Mrs. Glenn and Mrs. Gills were the two who merit credit for the club having been organized.

Charter members who were present were recognized by the president, and Mrs. C. F. James, the first president, was presented a corsage.

After the retiring president gave her annual report, she was presented with two boxwoods from the club for her untiring efforts and unselfish service during her term of office.

The awards chairman, Mrs. A. R. Harwood, Jr., presented Peace rose bushes to Mrs. R. C. Hubbard, who won the most points in the amateur arrangement class for the year; Mrs. Herman Schweizer for winning the most points in the novice arrangement class, and Mrs. F. F. Carr for having the most points in the horticultural section.

After the installation service, Mrs. Moses pinned the club president's pin on Mrs. Gregory, and handed her the gavel, which she humbly accepted and asked the support of all members as she began her term of office as president.

Deadly Charge

With the campaign coming up, it is interesting to recall that Martin Van Buren was defeated one time by a barage of charges that included one to the effect that he "took frequent baths." Furthermore, they proved it on him.

—Clarksville Chronicle.

Six Teams Entered In Softball League

There will be six teams in the Softball League here this summer. Fred H. Lawson is president of the league, with Bobby Mitchell secretary and treasurer. The following teams are listed: Appomattox Esso, Appomattox Garment Company, Trance, Pamplin, Concord, and Oakville. Games will begin early in May.

Abbitt Speaks On Civil Rights

Stony Creek, April 21.- Representative Watkins M. Abbitt (D-Va.) strongly assailed the Administration's civil rights program in a speech before the Stony Creek Women's Club here last night.

He lashed out at "middle-of-the-roadism" which he said is endangering America. This so - called philosophy he said, "is no philosophy at all but is rather the absence of a philosophy or an attempt to evade having a philosophy."

The Virginia Congressman in a sharp attack on the civil rights program presented to Congress accused the Eisenhower Administration of attempting to "set up a small gestapo in the office of the Attorney General whose agents would be running hither and thither in an endeavor to subvert the rights of the states . . and to compel the individual to kowtow to the policies of the party in power."

Abbitt assailed what he called an "arrogation" of power by the Federal Government and charged that the Supreme Court has set itself up as "the keeper of the conscience of the people . . determined that we shall operate on the theory and political philosophy of the nine men comprising the so-called Supreme Court of the United States."

The Judicial Branch, he said, "apparently feels that the Executive Branch and the Legislative Branch are not moving fast enough to take our rights away from us."

The Supreme Court decision on school segregation, he charged, is a "clear disregard" for legal precedent, and added that the recent court decision on sedition is evidence "that the members of the Court have no regard for the clear language written into the law and passed by the Congress."

This is a gradual movement toward Federal control of all activities, Abbitt charged, and in this connection he attacked the tendency of government leaders to look at issues on a middle-of-the-road basis. He said that bartering of ideas is a dangerous business and asserted that in making concessions and compromises, principle is lost

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Alfalfa Weevil Reported in Co.

County Agent Jim Smith reported this morning that in every alfalfa field examined in the county, there has been found damage from the alfalfa weevil. He urged growers to examine their fields to determine the presence of these insects. The larvae form causes the damage.

The alfalfa plant will show feeding on the top leaves and upon examination, the larvae may be seen, which is about 3-8ths of an inch long, green in color with a white stripe down the back and a black head. If the weevil is present in sufficient numbers, he may destroy the first cutting and delay growth of the second cutting. In severely infested fields, he can kill much of the stand.

Apply one-fourth pound of emulsifiable heptachlor per acre in 20 gallons of water and at 40 pounds of pressure. This material should be applied with a boom type sprayer. Treatment should begin when most of the plant tops start to show some feeding injury. Growers should attempt to control the insect with one spraying, as additional spraying may cause a residue to remain on the plants that would be injurious to animals.

After spraying, wait seven days before cutting.

County 4-H'ers Win In Contest

Sixteen Appomattox County 4-H Club members competed in the East Central District 4-H Contests last Thursday in Farmville. A total of 250 club members from sixteen counties competed for the district awards.

Virginia Davidson placed first in the Laudry Demonstration. The Egg Grading Team composed of Laura Carson and Gene Carson, placed first. In canning, Winifred Lee was second place individual. These four club members will represent the county at 4-H Short Course in June to compete for state awards.

The Dairy Judging Team, which was composed of Ann and Louella Martin, Sammy Inge and Larry Torrence, was ineligible for district awards because of age, yet they were the top placing team in the contest.

Other club members competing were Carrie Jane Inge, Bread; Penny Abbitt and Sandra Pillow, Dairy Foods; Eloise and Madelyn Bondurant, Bread; Virginia Rush, Food Preparation; June C. Thornhill, Dress Revue; and, Kinckle Martin, Tractor Operator's Contest.

CLASS TO TAKE TRIP

Appomattox High School Seniors will leave by chartered bus next Wednesday, for a trip to visit New York City.

SAFETY POSTER CONTEST WINNERS ANNOUNCED

The following winners have been announced in the Poster Contest on Safety for Appomattox County school children:

First place: Patsy Lee Williams, Evergreen school, $2.50.

Second place: Hal Flood and Gerald Wilbun, Appomattox Elementary school, $1.50.

Third place: Joel Carnefix, Vêra school, $1.50.

Honorable mention: Ed Wooten, Vera school; Velma Wooten, Eunice Martin, Spout Spring school.

A total of 23 entries on Safety were submitted and some excellent work was done, making it difficult for the judges to select the winners. The winning posters will be on display during National Home Demonstration Week, April 29-May 4. This county-wide Safety Educational program is being carried on by the Home Demonstration Clubs. A three unit float on Traffic Safety was entered in the Circus Day Parade in Appomattox last Saturday.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB MET TUESDAY EVENING

The Junior Woman's Club of Appomattox held its regular meeting Tuesday evening, April 24, at 8 o'clock, in the cafeteria of the Appomattox Garment Company, Inc.

The Fine Arts Department was in charge of the program and had as its guest, Mrs. Joyce Curcke, with several members of the Appomattox County Band. Mrs. Curcke gave a talk on music, and several selections were played by members of the band.

Delightful refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Dorothy Davidson, Mrs. Katie Doss and Mrs. Pauline DePew.

MRS. CRAWLEY HEADS ELEMENTARY P.-T.A.

Mrs. Charles F. P. Crawley has been elected as president of the Parent - Teacher Association of Appomattox Elementary School.

Mrs. Crawley, together with Mrs. L. L. Stanley and Mrs. Charles Martin attended a district P.-T. A. meeting Tuesday in Bedford.